

GRAVE GIVES  
UP THE BODY  
OF PETERSEN

Growsome Find Yesterday of the Victim of William Faltin in Shallow Hole Near the Scene of the Crime.

GRAVE HAD WAITED  
FORTY-EIGHT HOURS

Story of the Atrocious Butchery in Detail as it is Told from a Close Inspection of the Surroundings.

The body of Carl Petersen for whose murder William Faltin has been held in the county jail was discovered yesterday morning under a pile of garbage in the front yard of Faltin's house about seventy yards away. His condition is indescribable. The left side of the head had been hammered away, presumably by the blood stained bar and club which were found under a pile of hay and straw near the spot where Petersen must have met his death.

The body lay in a shallow grave not more than two feet deep at the foot of what was many years ago the river bank and where for years garbage from the city had been dumped and where some had been dumped quite recently though now the place is closed against the public by a wire fence.

A horrible circumstance is that the grave of Petersen was dug by Faltin on Saturday morning almost forty-eight hours before the commission of the crime. He was seen at the ghastly work by two children of Mr. Pinkerton a neighbor, and when they asked him what he was doing he gave them some senseless reply.

After a search of the river bottom by hundreds the day before and the conclusion had been reached that the body had not been hidden there, Constable Murphy who had arrested Faltin and had ever since been active in the hunt, visited the place with Deputy Sheriff Lew Mickey.

The latter had taken no part in the search and had visited the scene of the crime before. His attention was attracted by the pile of garbage and he suggested that it be examined. Nick Pomeroy the nearest neighbor of Faltin was present and he offered to set his man Giovanni Prunetto at the work. The officers soon after set out for the river bed but they had not gone a quarter of a mile before they were recalled by pistol shots. The body had been found.

There could have been but a few inches of earth covering it, for directly on top of the head body there was spread a layer of papers; on top of these a thin layer of earth and over that a pile of garbage so deep as to bring the top of it to the level of the bank at the foot of which the grave had been dug.

In a day or two the body would have attracted every buzzard in the country. It could not be approached for the stench and when the dead wagon of Easterling and Whitney arrived the men had to cover their faces with handkerchiefs before they could remove it.

When Faltin was informed of the finding of the body he made no comment and so far as his face disclosed he seemed to take little interest in the discovery. It was thought that he would break down and make a confession but he did not, though he no longer attests his innocence. He simply has nothing to say. It is believed though that when the hopelessness of his case has been brought to him he will make a confession.

With the discovery of the body, County Attorney Lyman began laying the ground for the trial of the case. It should come to trial in the afternoon accompanied by Assistant County Attorney Gandy, Deputy Sheriff Wolf and Constable Murphy he visited the place. P. Minor was a member of the party. Mr. Minor made a drawing of the interior of Faltin's house, of the grounds including every point where known or suspected incidents of the tragedy took place. Photographer Turnbull took views of various places including the enemy grave. The grave with its gruesome contents had been photographed earlier in the day.

A closer inspection of the house and the vicinity almost gave a picture of the commission of the crime. Petersen was sleeping on a cot in the southeast corner of the east room of the house of two rooms. The bed of Faltin was in the opposite corner. Petersen lay asleep clad only in his night shirt. Faltin had evidently contemplated killing him with chloroform for a two ounce bottle of it was found in his own bed. He had probably abandoned that plan for the contents of the bottle had not been disturbed as they would have been if he attempted to use the fluid and had failed.

He then probably struck the sleeping man with the two foot club which was found covered with blood. Petersen, not seriously wounded by

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MRS. JACK JOHNSON  
TRIES TO END LIFE

White Wife of Champion Shoots Herself in the Head and May Die.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Mrs. Jack Johnson, the white wife of the world's heavyweight pugilist, attempted to commit suicide at their apartments tonight, shooting herself in the head. She has been in ill health for a year, according to Johnson and at times despondent.

Mrs. Johnson was formerly Miss Etta Perry, of Brooklyn. She married Johnson in Pittsburgh three years ago. She is thirty-one years old. At the hospital the attending physicians said that Mrs. Johnson is in a critical condition and might die. Johnson was at the bedside of his wife throughout the night.

## REPUBLICANS NOMINATED

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] SEATTLE, Sept. 11.—From the available returns of yesterday's primaries it appears that the republican nominations have been made. Governor, Marion E. Hall; lieutenant-governor, Louis F. Hart; secretary of state, L. M. Howell; representative to congress, First district, Will E. Humphrey; Second district, Albert Johnson; Third district, William LaFollette.

DENVERITES  
GIVE BAIL

More Than Score of Past and Present City and County Officials Furnish Bonds to Answer Indictments Against Them.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] DENVER, Sept. 11.—A sequel to the war of newspaper accusations that featured largely in the Citizens Party campaign in this city and county election last spring, more than a score of present and former city officials and prominent business men of Denver, gave bond today in the criminal division of the district court to answer special grand jury indictments.

The indictments contain an infinite number of allegations of bribery, misuse of city streets, sale of franchises, operating disorderly houses, renting property for such purposes, neglect of duty in non-enforcement of laws and obstructing the public streets. In all forty-six true bills have been returned upon the testimony of many witnesses, some of whom are under bond or remain in the city jail waiting to give bond.

Mayor Arnold and his predecessor, Robert W. Spear, are alike charged with failure to enforce the laws against open vice, together with the present and former chiefs of police, fire and police boards both past and present and the present school board. Officials of the local telephone and telegraph company are charged with obstructing the streets and the International Trust company's officials are charged with renting property for disorderly houses.

## THE POOR MAN'S BANK.

Weed Characterizes Uncle Sams Postal Savings as a Boon to Small Depositors.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] DETROIT, Sept. 11.—George M. Reynolds of Chicago and Theodore Weed, director of the United States postal saving system, delivered addresses at today's session of the American Bankers association. Reynolds discussed the money trust inquiry. "The poor man's bank" was Weed's characterization of the federal postal savings system. He said that at the first of this month the total deposits approximated \$23,000,000, an average of about \$85 for each depositor and explained that these figures do not include over one million converted by depositors into postal savings bonds. Only a negligible quantity, or postal savings would have ever been entrusted to the banks, he said.

The speaker predicted that the government would "do away with limitation on deposits with the provision that no interest shall be paid on any sum greater than \$1,000. The present total balance allowed one depositor is \$500.

## VETERANS ATTEND CAMPARE

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] LOS ANGELES, Sept. 11.—The first of a series of "campare" planned for the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic was held tonight at the Auditorium and a thousand veterans, refreshed by several hours' rest after the annual parade this morning, gave attention, enjoying the program of music and addresses and telling again the experiences of wartime.

## PRESSMEN'S STRIKE SETTLED

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 11.—The strike of union Web pressmen against three daily newspapers here has been settled. The men returning to work. It is understood that a slight increase of wages was granted.

AVIATOR BECK  
FALLS TO DEATH  
WITH BIPLANE

Gusty Wind Blowing Over Cicero Field Caused Birdman to Lose Control of Machine When He is Attempting Spiral Glide.

CRASHES TO EARTH  
WITH ENGINE ATOP

Is Rushed to Hospital But Injuries to Neck and Legs Prove Too Severe and Death Ensues Within Short Time.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Aviator Paul Beck, of Washington, D. C., holder of the American duration flight record, was killed in a fall with his biplane tonight while flying in a gusty wind. Beck attempted too steep a spiral and when his machine struck the ground the heavy engine went through the wreckage, striking him in neck.

A gusty wind blew over Cicero field all day and the director posted the customary warning to aviators against going up.

Beck, believing his small biplane to be fast enough to carry him through the choppy wind, went into the air in spite of the caution. At about 800 feet altitude he started to come down in a spiral glide. Because of the unusually small span of his machine, Beck got into too steep a spiral and his aeroplane slid toward the center of the vortex and he could not bring it back.

His real difficulty did not become apparent until within 200 feet of the ground. The engine fell across his neck and legs. He was taken to a hospital where the doctors said that he could not survive the night.

Beck was American licensed aviator No. 57 and had developed the monoplane and the machine in which he was killed. The machine was of only 26 feet span and headless, and equipped with gyrometer. Beck was about 24 years old and was making a trial flight preparatory to the international aviation meet to be held here tomorrow.

## PATMORE HAS CLOSE CALL.

GREENSBURG, Pa., Sept. 11.—Aviator Carl Patmore, of New York, fell 300 feet here today and escaped with a dislocated ankle and slight bruises. His machine was wrecked.

## IS LASHED FOR STEALING

Chemical Works Proprietor Inflicts Punishment Following Trial by Employees.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] EUGENE, Ore., Sept. 11.—Taking the law into his own hands, F. F. Schofield, proprietor of a chemical works here, administered punishment of fifteen lashes on the back of James Daughy, one of his employees, who, it is alleged, was caught stealing a small sum of money. After the punishment Daughy was given three hours to leave the city. Daughy was tried before a jury consisting of other employees of the factory and Schofield acted as judge. He was found guilty and the "judge" administered the punishment.

## WANT NAVAL FORCE INCREASED

United Spanish War Veterans Also Protest Against Philippine Surrender.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 11.—Resolutions calling upon the government to increase the naval force by the annual addition of two battleships, favoring the enactment of a law making the display of emblems and flags unlawful unless precedence is given to the American flag, and protesting against surrendering the Philippines at this time were adopted by the United Spanish War Veterans today. San Francisco was selected as the encampment city in 1915.

## WOULD ISSUE UNSOLD BONDS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—The Pacific Electric Railway company of Los Angeles applied today to the state railroad commissioner for permission to issue its unsold bonds to the amount of \$79,161,000. The application is regarded as a request by the corporation to be allowed to sell all bonds remaining in the treasury. The Pacific Electric company has authorized an issue of one hundred million dollars of stock.

## YALE WINS CHAMPIONSHIP.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] MANCHESTER, Vermont, Sept. 11.—Yale won the golf championship annual inter-collegiate golf tournament today, defeating Harvard in the final match, six points to three. Five colleges were represented when the tournament started Monday. Williams was eliminated the first day and Princeton and Pennsylvania yesterday.

SCHOOL SYSTEM  
IS COMMENDED

Dr. Kirk, Himself a Notable Educator, Pays Glowing Tribute to Arizona Schools With Special Praise for Phoenix High.

Dr. John R. Kirk, ex-state superintendent of schools of Missouri and now president of the state normal school and teachers college at Kirksville, Missouri, spent Wednesday afternoon with Supt. Loper visiting the public school buildings at Phoenix.

President Kirk has made a specialty of school architecture and equipment for many years and has himself designed some of the best school buildings in the Mississippi valley. He expressed great admiration for the school buildings of Phoenix pronouncing them among the most comfortable convenient and healthful in the United States. He especially approved the plan of the one-story structures for elementary schools.

But it is the splendid new high school scheme that excites President Kirk's enthusiasm most.

Speaking of the high school, President Kirk among other things, said: "I do not think there is another city the size of Phoenix in the United States that has high school facilities equal to those of Phoenix. Very few cities of fifty thousand population have buildings and equipments that will at all compare with yours."

"It strikes me that Arizona is making unusually good provisions for her public schools. I found in Douglas last week exceptionally good facilities for industrial and commercial education, much better than can be found in a majority of the cities and towns in the east and in the middle west. Superintendent Lutz of that city has his schools in an excellent state of organization."

"But the high school here in the capital city sets the pace for them all. It will be the pride of your city and the people of your whole state when they realize its relative excellence. There is one rich capital city of a Pacific coast state that has almost exactly the same population as Phoenix but its high school equipment could not be valued at half that of Phoenix."

"And your high school principal and the board supporting him have done a most sensible, practical and courageous thing in their plan of administration and in the adoption of a curriculum. In the many forms of business education and industrial education they are close to the head of the procession."

"Education was always vocational. But the old scheme provided for only three or four vocations for the men and none at all for the women. Here you have a high school providing for many vocations for both men and women, especially in the industrial vocations. And we now see that industrial education bears also all the fruits of the so called cultural education and more. For it is human effort based upon purpose that gives culture as well as capability for service."

"Industrial education alters the trend of school life. It rescues boys and girls from indolence and indifference. It opens their eyes to the possibilities of a life worth living. It awakens a motion to do things that have value to the doer and to the community. It stimulates the constructive activity. It transforms dull dreamers into active producers. It vitalizes the school community."

"Industrial education alters the sixth grade have no object in life. They have no idea of doing anything or being anything. They see no definite good in the school studies. They live in a land of dreams. Industrial education gets hold of them. Bodily exercise affects brain action. Acquisition of skill in doing things modifies the nerve centers."

"Industrial education is not routine, not a mere exercise, not copying, not imitation. It is brain work. It keeps the boy and girl making comparisons for themselves and by themselves. It hits the slow laggard with things that he cannot avoid, evade or dodge. His work is visible, tangible and measurable. It can be got at. He must do his own thinking and invent avenues out of his own difficulties."

"The typical farm boy always outdoes the typical town boy in school studies, because the farm boy has acquired skill in meeting difficulties and the habit of tackling without hesitancy the job that comes next whether it is easy or difficult."

"Through industrial education we propose to give the farm boy and girl more serviceable knowledge and skill in the things that need to be known and done. We propose to inject motive into the town boy and girl."

"Industrial education so stimulates the capabilities that pupils may give to it about one-fifth of their time and energy and still be able to carry their other studies somewhat better than they did under the traditional scheme when they had no motive for study."

"But commercial education does for some fully as much as industrial education does for others."

"Meanwhile your new organization leaves ample room for all the old and well established studies such as Latin, mathematics, etc. You are therefore able to appeal to and utilize all the capabilities of all the girls and boys."

"I predict for your high school a thousand students inside the next five years."

ROSES IN WEST  
THORNS IN EAST  
FOR THEODORE

Colonel Walks on Carpet of Flowers When He Enters City of Portland Preparatory to Making Five Progressive Speeches.

DENOUNCES FIVE  
OREGON DELEGATES

Back East He Faces Danger of Losing Delegation from Pennsylvania While Maryland Throws Out Those Who Favor Him.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 11.—On a carpet of roses, Colonel Roosevelt entered the city of roses today, with a rose on his buttonhole and another in his hand and at his elbow a fresh faced girl, who carried a market basket filled with more roses. When he left Portland tonight, after a hard day's campaigning here, he found his private car had been transferred into a flower oasis and the train pulled out with the colonel standing on the platform and pelted with showers of roses.

Roosevelt made five speeches here today. He denounced the five Oregon delegates to the republican national convention who voted to seat ninety delegates whom he said were fraudulently elected.

He attacked as Judas, Thomas McKuster, who was Senator La Follette's manager in Oregon during the primary campaign last spring, and who was the republican nominee for congress from Portland. He explained the attitude of the progressive party on the trust question defended the recall in a judicial decision and appealed to the people of Oregon to stand by the progressive party on the ground that it alone represented them. From Portland Roosevelt started for the eastern part of the state. He is scheduled to make speeches tomorrow at Lagrand and Huntington and Nampa and Boise, Idaho.

## WITHDRAW ROOSEVELT ELECTIONS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—William Flinn of Pittsburgh came here today to consult with the republican anti-progressive leaders on a plan for settling the controversy over the Pennsylvania elections. It was said at republican headquarters that a tentative arrangement had been made subject to the approval of the republican national committee, for the immediate withdrawal of the Roosevelt electors and substitution of the Taft men without recourse to courts.

## MARYLAND HITS TEDDY.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 11.—The republican state convention revoked today the list of presidential electors, chosen last May and named a new ticket of out and out Taft men. This action was taken because six of the eight electors had declared they would not vote for Taft. The Roosevelt men asserted that today's convention was illegal and refused to attend.

## SPLIT IN PROGRESSIVES.

DOVER, Del., Sept. 11.—W. P. White who heads the faction of the progressive party favoring the endorsement of republican candidates for the state officers and who was deposed from the state committee because of his reported close relations with the republican organization led a bolt from the progressive state convention here today. He left with a dozen delegates and issued a call for a new convention September 18.

## FLYERS READY FOR MEET.

Twenty-Four Aviators Ready to Contest for Supremacy at Chicago.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Twenty-four American and foreign aviators will meet tomorrow at Cicero flying field to contest for prizes aggregating \$24,000 offered by the Aero club of Chicago. The aviation meet will continue for ten days. The contests consist of exhibition flights, accuracy landings, dropping bombs, mail bags, packages into nets, speed races for world's records on mile track between biplanes, monoplane, passenger carrying, cross country flights and test for expert aviators.

## SAYS VICE FLOURISHES

Virginia Brooks Makes Charges Following Murder in Illinois Brothel

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—As a result of Miss Virginia Brooks' charging that in West Hammond, Illinois, vice has been allowed to flourish, formal charges of malfeasance in office, extortion and conspiracy were filed today in Cook County court against Justice Frank Green, of West Hammond, and Justice Wittenburg, of Burnham, a nearby village. Morphine in large quantities was found in the body of John Messmaker, in connection with whose murder "Frankie Ford," an inmate of a West Hammond resort, was arrested, according to an official report today.

BECKER TRIAL GOES  
OVER TO OCTOBER

Counsel Desires Testimony of Persons Who Talked With Schepps

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Supreme Court Justice Blatchford granted today a stay of the Becker trial, delaying the case until October 1. This stay was granted on the application of John F. McIntyre, Becker's counsel, to take the testimony of persons at Hot Springs, Ark., who talked with Sam Schepps and his captors. The aldermanic investigating committee decided to resume its work on Friday, when Commissioner Waldo will testify.

## CHINAMEN GIVE BAIL

Alleged They are Part of Gang of Coolie Smugglers

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—Plentifully supplied with money, Louie Pat and Ah Yet, Chinamen, who were arrested here last night on charges that they are members of a smuggling gang with headquarters in Ensenada, Mexico, each supplied cash bail today in the sum of \$5,000 and were liberated.

The gang is said to have done a profitable business smuggling Chinese coolies into California.

BIG FIGHT  
CALLED OFF

New York State Authorities Will Not Need to Act, the Bout Being Annulled Through Wolgast's Failure to Live up to Contract

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Threatened legal action to prevent the proposed staging of the bout between Ad Wolgast and Paeky McFarland in this city on the ground that it is in the nature of a prize fight, was made unnecessary today by the calling off of the bout scheduled to take place in Madison Square on September 27.

Manager Gibson of the Garden Athletic club announced its abandonment. He claimed that Wolgast had refused to live up to the terms of the contract he signed when Gibson was in Cadillac three weeks ago. Governor Dix took the initial action in the matter in a communication to Sheriff Harberger, District Attorney Whitman and the New York State Athletic commission, instructing them to take such steps as lay within their power to prevent what he considered virtually a prize fight. The state commission today suspended Tony Ross for six months for fouling during his bout with Joe Jeannette last Monday.

## STEAMER IS AFIRE.

The Fitzclare is Blazing at Docks in Frisco and May Be Total Loss.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—Fire which broke out tonight in the hold of the British steamer Fitzclare at her wharf, threatened to destroy 1300 tons of Japanese sulphur in the cargo. The Fitzclare, Captain J. H. Blair, arrived here recently to coal at this port, laden with sulphur for Portland, from Japan.

If the entire cargo of sulphur is destroyed the loss will be between \$40,000 and \$50,000. The fire was discovered at seven o'clock in the hold but it was thought at first to be trivial and the stevedores continued the work of discharging the cargo for hours before the extent of the fire became known. Water from fire tugs and several fire engines were turned into the hold without any appreciable effect.

## ROBBERY IS BUSINESS

Charge Made That "Knockout Drops" are Given Chicago Victims

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Giving "knockout drops" to men and robbing them after they become unconscious is being carried on as a regular business in Chicago, according to a confession to police today by Gertrude Sutter, J. Paul Polson, employed in the office of the Cook county court was arrested with the woman after she charged he lured victims to plotters.

## MILLIONS MAY MERGE

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—It is said today that a merger of the Guaranty and Standard Trust companies, whose assets total \$263,000,000, will be approved tomorrow when the directors of the Guaranty Trust company will meet to consider the merger negotiations.

## FAMOUS MOSQUE DAMAGED

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 11.—The famous Mosque Santa Sophia, built by Justinian in the sixth century, was considerably damaged, it is feared, by the recent earthquake in Turkey.

AGUA PRIETA  
HOLDS CENTER  
OF WAR STAGE

Believed Effort Will Be Made By Rebels to Take Little Border Town Before Time Limit of Ultimatum Expires.

TROOPS RUSHING  
FROM EL PASO

Official Records Have Been Removed to Douglas and Women and Children Sent Across the Border to Places of Safety.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH] DOUGLAS, Sept. 11.—Mexican Consul Fuensta received word tonight that 500 federal troops had left Cuernavaca on foot for Agua Prieta. Agua Prieta which figured so prominently in the Madero revolution appears tonight to be the center upon which the Mexican rebels of northern Sonora will concentrate their effort to secure a port of entry. Federal officials believe that effort will be made to take the town before the time limit stipulated in the ultimatum expires.

Lieutenant Colonel Begne in command of the small garrison at Agua Prieta said he could successfully defend the town if the command of 400 Yaqui Indians under General Sanchez arrived tonight from Juarez as expected.

Although it is admitted that the Agua Prieta garrison comprised less than 200, Begne's command numbers a few more than one hundred and late today soldiers were apportioned fifty extra rounds of ammunition in addition to the full belts they have been carrying. Outposts were thrown out about the town.

All official records have been removed from Agua Prieta and brought across to Douglas today and many women and children were also sent to this side of the line in anticipation of an attack not later than noon tomorrow. Reports were received late today by the federal commander at Agua Prieta that the combined rebel forces of Inez Salazar, Antonio Rojas and Rafael Campa are moving toward the international line from three directions. Salazar, whose movements have been paralleled by United States cavalry on the American side of the line, reached a point about eighteen miles southeast of Douglas at noon today. Walter Douglas, executive head of the Phelps-Dodge interests in the southwest, who came through the rebel lines on a motor handcar last night and arrived here today, reported that the rebels have refrained from molesting Americans. At several places where homes and ranches of natives were looted the rebels did not even enter those of Americans. This, he asserted, is due somewhat to the unfriendly attitude of Sonora Mexicans who look upon rebel invaders as "foreigners."

The Phelps-Dodge interests were notified that the Nacozari railroad, owned by them will be entirely destroyed if the company does not assist in aiding the Madero government. Douglas declared that the company has been neutral, that no foreigners had taken part in the recent battle at Nacozari, but that his interest intended to protect their property and that of friends and their employees. The first troops' train of the Ninth United States infantry, en route here from Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, is scheduled to arrive here at two o'clock tomorrow morning.

## ESPEE TRAIN HELD UP

NOGALES, Sept. 11.—The Southern Pacific passenger train which left here for west coast points at eleven o'clock today was held up by rebels under Emilio Campa at Ojinjano, thirty miles south of Nogales and partly destroyed. Campa boarded the train and explained that the passengers were not to be molested. He merely wanted all arms and ammunition aboard the train. Mail, baggage and second class coaches were placed at the bridge and set on fire. The first class sleepers escaped destruction. Campa sent word by the returning train that he would continue south and take possession of Hermosillo on Mexican Independence day.

## DOUGLAS FEARS ATTACK

EL PASO, Sept. 11.—Cars were ordered to Juarez today by the Mexican authorities for the transportation of federal troops through United States territory to Douglas, Arizona. The people of Douglas fear an attack will be made on the federal when an attempt is made to cross the line into Mexico.

## FEDERALS HOLD OJINAGA

MARFA, Texas, Sept. 11.—Contradicting earlier reports that Ojinaga, Mexico, across the border from Presidio, Texas, had been taken by the rebels, official dispatches tonight to the Mexican consul here say the federal troops are still in possession of the little city, although General Sanchez and 150 of his men have abandoned it.

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